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## HOOVER RIDICULES IDEA THAT HE GAVE AID TO THE PACKERS

Paris, Jan. 23.—Herbert Hoover today flatly denied the charges, made in the United States senate during debate on the \$100,000,000 food bill, that he had worked in the interests of the American packing industry.

Hoover ridiculed the idea that he had benefited the big packers.

He declared that he worked to give American farmers a square deal and a protection small packers.

The attack on Hoover in the senate was made by enemies of the bill providing \$100,000,000 to feed Europeans, other than inhabitants of the central powers. Hoover was assailed as the man who have charge of spending this money.

"I apparently emerge in a new light as the friend of the Chicago packers," said Hoover. "At the same time the mail brings the report from Swift & Co., blaming the food administration for reducing their profits by \$10,000,000 during the last year. I don't imagine the packers would appreciate a wide circle of such friends.

"I notice also I committed a crime by holding the October joint conference of farmers and representatives of forty packers, as well as bringing the packers together with representatives of the allied governments for the purpose of settling on a price for exports of pork that would give the American farmers a square deal, and a distribution of orders that would protect small packers.

"We have even tried to secure the continuance of these war arrangements through the armistice period and the opening of other markets, because the American farmer did his duty and produced the goods.

"If the American farmer and the small packer now feel that these arrangements are wrong it would be the greatest burden off our shoulders if we could know it quickly. The British government is particularly anxious to be relieved from these arrangements."

## BREWERS WOULD GET A POOR WELCOME IN THE ORIENT

Chicago, Jan. 23.—China's welcome to brewers and distillers, if they attempt to build their business in the Orient, will not be a warm one.

Edward B. Kan, of the intelligence department here, a Chinaman, today declared the Chinese government authorities will undoubtedly prevent any efforts of the liquor men to establish themselves there.

"Chinamen at home are not drinkers. As a rule, liquor is not found in a Chinese home," Kan said.

"If the distillers and brewers were permitted to open their business, it will not be long before many who hardly knew the taste of liquor would be drinkers. I believe the country would not take up this habit, in view of the recent success in ridding itself of opium."

## LEGISLATION RECORD IS SMASHED IN OHIO

Columbus, Jan. 23.—Records on temperance legislation were smashed this evening, when not a single objector appeared to argue against the most drastic piece of prohibition legislation ever presented to an Ohio legislature—the proposed prohibition enforcement bill. James A. White, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League said it was the first time that a public committee meeting on proposed dry legislation ever was announced that no person had appeared to oppose it in some form or other.

However, White had not accepted tonight's occurrence as final evidence that there will be no objections to the prohibition enforcement measure. He knows there will be, for druggists, wine manufacturers and pharmacists have asked to be heard on the measure next week. A public hearing probably will be accorded next Wednesday night. Mr. White will appear before the joint committee next Tuesday and explain the bill in detail.

Representative Lenz of Ottawa county, who voted for the national prohibition amendment, asked the only question concerning the prohibition bill. He wanted to know if it prohibits the manufacture of grape juice. White told him that it did not, but admitted that it probably will be necessary to incorporate amendments to make the exception more definite.

**NO OPPONENTS APPEAR**

Columbus, Jan. 23.—Not one opponent appeared at the house and senate temperance committee hearing last night on anti-saloon bills. James A. White will argue in favor of the bills next Tuesday.

## SALE DATES RESERVED

Jan. 24—A. B. Little.  
Jan. 28—Mrs. H. A. Walsh.  
Jan. 30—E. H. Crow.  
Feb. 4—David Lucas and Edward Partington.  
Feb. 5—L. E. Smith.  
Feb. 6—Mel Beal.  
Feb. 6—Jesse C. Smith.  
Feb. 11—A. E. Bales.  
Feb. 12—C. E. Bone.  
Feb. 14—Mrs. J. A. Cooper.  
Feb. 18—Turner & Son.  
Feb. 18—H. E. Birch.  
Feb. 19—Mort. St. John.  
Feb. 20—J. W. Stevenson.  
Feb. 20—L. B. Stingley.  
Feb. 25—Watkins Brothers.  
Feb. 26—H. S. Dean and G. E. Spencer.  
March 1—Kennon & Watt.  
McH 11—E. R. & W. B. Corry.

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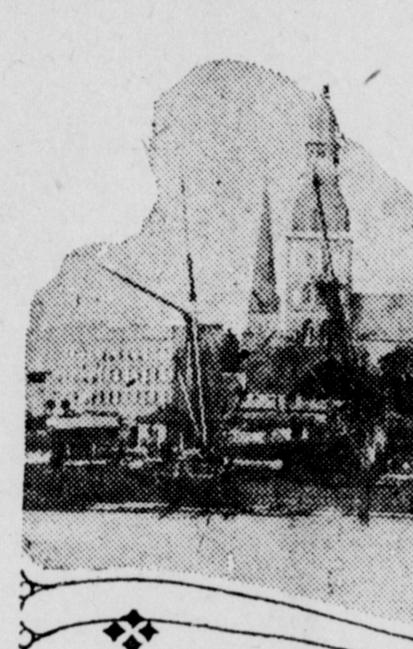
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Riga, important Russian port on the Baltic sea and a city of great strategic value, is in the hands of the Bolsheviks, according to dispatches. It was taken after stiff fighting. The city is at the mouth of the Dvinsk river. In Estonia the Bolsheviks have advanced through Charletonoff on their way to Reval (2), which may fall into their hands. The Reds, latest dispatches state, have taken possession of Vilna (3), capital of Lithuania. A massacre of civilians followed the victory partly because the Poles had shot Bolshevik committees in the city.



Riga, Baltic Seaport and Map Showing Bolshevik Activities.

## LOUIS F. SWIFT IS CALLED TO TESTIFY

Washington, Jan. 23.—Louis F. Swift, was to appear before the house interstate commerce commission today to continue defense of the packers begun by J. Ogden Armour.

## BRITISH ATTITUDE TO IRISH REPUBLIC IS STILL AN ENIGMA

Dublin, Jan. 23.—With an Irish ministry appointed and plans under way for a nation-wide parliamentary election, the attitude of the British government toward the new republic of Ireland continued to be an enigma.

The Sinn Feiners had taken action that amounted to open sedition and still the imperial authorities refrained from repressive measures. Following Tuesday's initial meeting of the Irish parliament, in which a declaration of independence was adopted, and delegates selected to the peace conference, the Sinn Feiners met in secret session yesterday. An official communiqué of the proceedings, issued in Gaelic, said:

"A temporary premier was elected. He selected four ministers. A temporary chairman was elected. Twenty-four deputies were present."

The names of the cabinet members were not announced. It was reported that a constitution was adopted, providing that a premier shall be elected by parliament, with authority to appoint and remove the ministers of finance, home affairs, foreign affairs and defense. Parliament would be elected by nation-wide suffrage, the conditions and date of the election to be announced later.

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## BERLIN IN DARKNESS AND IS WITHOUT ANY STREET CAR SERVICE

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## SEVEN OF ESCAPED CONVICTS CAUGHT

Rock Island, Ill., Jan. 23.—Seven of the twenty escaped Rock Island convicts were in the jail today—one of them suffering from a bullet wound in the back.

Alfredo De Leon, Mexican, was arrested on a charge of robbery near Corona, 20 miles from Rock Island, after he had been chased a mile by deputy sheriffs, who stopped him with a shotgun volley.

Six others were caught yesterday.

## PRICE OF LEATHER WILL NOT DROP SOON

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Dr. John R. Mott today had renewed his demands that critics name definite days and dates in their accusations against the Y. M. C. A.

Speaking before the Methodist centenary convention here last night, Dr. Mott said:

"I know the Y. M. C. A. more intimately than any other man, and I know there is a mere handful of things to criticize compared to the vast extent of the good things which all admit the Y has done."

If critics are honest, they will name specific acts and dates when things criticized were done."

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## LOCAL ITEMS

### WEATHER REPORT

Cloudy and colder with probably rain tonight; Friday cloudy, colder in east portion.

Mr. Thad P. Carr, the tuner, is now in Xenia. Leave orders at Schell's Jewelry Store. 1-30

Mrs. Louis Iliffe of Cedarville and Miss Jessie Small of Xenia, spent Wednesday in Urbana, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hyatt on North Main street. They came to spend the day with their brother, A. E. Small (Mrs. Hyatt's father). Mrs. Small has been confined to his daughter's home for the past six weeks with pneumonia and while slowly improving is still confined to his bed, under the care of a nurse.—Urbana Democrat.

**Muskrats Wanted**—25,000 at highest price ever known for rats. Call Wm. Marshall, Cedarville, O., or at Mason's Livery Barn, every Saturday, 1-14-Tu&Thurs-Tf

The condition of Mr. Alex Bailey of North Detroit street is growing worse, and pneumonia has developed. Because of his weakened condition there is not much hope felt for his recovery.

Let us tell you about our free sale bill proposition. Call at this office. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hunter have returned to Xenia to live, and Mr. Hunter will be associated in business with The Belden Milling Company. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter have been in Springfield for several months.

**Special dance** to be given Saturday evening in the K. of P. Hall. Swindler Saxophone Orchestra. Everybody welcome. adv-1/25

United Life Insurance • Policy See Douglas Custis, Steele Building, adv tf

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the beautiful flowers and their kindness during the sickness and death of our dear wife and daughter. We want to especially thank Rev. McCracken for his consoling words and Mr. Need for his prompt and efficient service.

Ernest Owens,  
Mr. and Mrs. John Milburn.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary M. Harner were held at the Old Town church Wednesday morning, and were conducted by the Rev. Jerome Schulz of Fairfield. A quartette from the church choir sang four hymns. Interment was at Byron cemetery, and the pallbearers were: Jerome and O. C. Harner, sons of the deceased, W. H. Favis, C. D. Flatter, S. D. Harner and Earl Flatter.

**Special**—Full pound loaf of bread 5c. Friday and Saturday only. H. E. Schmidt & Co. adv

Douglas Custis protects "Life." tf

Funeral services were held for Mr. Joseph Thompson, Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. Albert Read, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Beautiful floral tributes surrounded the casket in which the body reposed. Interment was in Woodland, and the casket was borne to its last resting place by his three sons, Glenn, Charles and Edward Dove, son-in-law of the deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Brant Bell and children are visiting in Erie, Pa., the guests of Mr. Bell's uncle Rev. Sheri den Bell.

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Mrs. Frank Hagler, of the Wilmington pike, received a telegram Wednesday notifying her that her sister, Miss Lizzie Crawford, is seriously ill of influenza pneumonia and heart trouble in a hospital in Arizona. She has been in that state for some time, in charge of a mission school.

**RETired FARMER DIES ON THURSDAY AFTER LONG ILLNESS**

After an illness of several years' duration, Clayton Huff, a well known retired farmer, died at his home 652 South Detroit street, at 12:15 Thursday afternoon. He was a sufferer from organic heart trouble.

Mr. Huff was born near South Lebanon, December 16, 1855, and was 63 years of age when he died. He married Miss Anna St. John of Lebanon, 41 years ago. Mr. Huff was a farmer most of his life, and for 18 years lived on a farm in Greene county, moving to Xenia about a year ago.

He is survived by his widow, and three children: Edward, of the Lower Bellbrook pike; Mrs. Forest Corwin, of South Detroit street, and Miss Hatzie Huff, who lives with her parents. A few days before he died, Mr. Huff was received into the Methodist Episcopal church. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

**WILLIAM DARNELL HURT WHEN BUGGY IS HIT BY MOTORCYCLE**

William Darnell, colored horseman of the Jamestown pike, was painfully injured when the buggy in which he was riding was struck by a motorcycle on the Jamestown pike about a mile and one half from Xenia Wednesday evening about 5:15 o'clock.

Mr. Darnell was thrown from the vehicle and suffered a fracture of the shoulder blade and a deep gash in his forehead, which required four stitches to close. His horse which was the property of D. L. Paullin of Jamestown, was cut about the legs and the buggy was damaged. Mr. Darnell was partially unconscious and when he recovered he walked to the nearest farm house, the horse having run off following the collision. Dr. H. R. Hawkins was called and removed the injured man to the Washington Hospital where his injuries were dressed. He was later removed to his home.

It is thought that the motorcycle rider was also injured, but inquiries failed to reveal his identity.

### Mothers!

Your little one won't smile  
If its liver's full of bile.  
Cascarets set things right  
When kiddies' tongues turn white.  
They bring relief and joy  
To constipated girl or boy.  
Children think them dandy—  
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Children gladly take Cascarets when cross, feverish, bilious, constipated, because Cascarets taste like candy. If your child has a tainted breath, coated tongue or a cold—give Cascarets as directed on each 10 cent box. Then don't worry. Cascarets work like a charm and can not harm the child's tender little stomach, liver and bowels.

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TONIA CREAMERY. Biggest check per can here.

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### EVANGELIST WILL SPEAK THURSDAY ON "IS THERE A HELL"

"Is there a hell?"

Evangelist Harney will answer this question at the First Methodist church Thursday night.

Also "Who was hell made for?" asks the evangelist. "I'm dead certain it was never made for man."

"I want every doctor, every lawyer, every preacher, every educator, every merchant, and all the people of Xenia, to hear this message tonight."

"This is a special sermon. Don't fail to hear it," he says.

Last evening Evangelist Harney again preached to a packed house. Shaming the people for their folly and inconsistencies, he kept them in good-humored laughter at their own weaknesses and sins. Mr. Harney seemed to be in a jolly mood himself and was more an actor and lecturer than a preacher. In the introduction to his sermon, he amplified on the failure of many so-called Christian homes to return thanks at the table before eating the food which comes from the hand of the Heavenly Father. Then he preached from the words as recorded by Luke, "Give ye then to eat."

The disciples had what the hungry multitude needed. It was only a matter of using what they had to see how God would increase, till it would be sufficient to satisfy all the hungry people before them. So many, the evangelist said, fail to use what they have of talents and acquirements, because they are unwilling to begin with what seems to them so little. But he showed that the student must begin with the alphabet in order to get to the university. So Christians should begin with what they have to serve God in the feeding of hungry souls.

He made it plain that the laity had just as much responsibility in imparting Christian truth and knowledge to hungry souls as has the pastor. All that folks have to do in order to be useful in their influence for Christ is to tell what they know of Christ just to be themselves and not think that they have to be somebody else in serving him. The beginner may not be able to make a flowerly prayer, but he can make a heart prayer and that is the kind that counts with Christ and with hungry souls of men. If you have religion, you do not want the selfish kind. The use of your talents with fire, earnestness and enthusiasm will win others to God and render such service as He requires of you.

The hungry people in the multitude which Christ fed had something to do, they had to obey Christ before they could have satisfaction. This is always so. Christians dare not be slackers and sinners dare not be disobedient. If they do both will perish.

The meetings continue to get definite results in numbers of people turning to God for His saving power, for restoration of soul.

The revival will close Sunday. Only three more days. Services at 2:30 P. M. and 7:15 P. M.

**BROTHER OF MRS. MARCUS SHOUP DIES OF PNEUMONIA**

Harry Mahanna, brother of Mrs. Marcus Shoup and City Fireman Charles Mahanna, died of influenza pneumonia at his home in Hillsboro Thursday morning. His death is the third that has been caused by the same malady in his immediate relationship within four months. His young wife is also critically ill of the malady.

Last October a son of William Mahanna died of pneumonia following influenza. A month ago his father died of the same trouble. Following his death, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mahanna moved into his property, to make a home for the orphaned young son and daughter. A few days later Mr. Mahanna was stricken, and his wife contracted the infection while nursing him. Mr. Mahanna was 29 years of age.

Mrs. Shoup and Mr. Charles Mahanna went to Hillsboro Thursday driving through in the Shoup car. Judge Shoup will go over later.

### NOTICES

Copy for notices to appear in this column must be furnished before 10 a. m. of day of publication.

Rummage sale at Social Service League, Saturday, Jan. 25, 2:30.

Notice. The Ladies and Knights of Maccabees will give a social at Red Men's Hall East Main street to celebrate the fact that although 27 per cent of the members of the Tent 396 were in the service during the war, they lost neither life nor limb. Every member of the order with his family and friends are urged to be present. Music, refreshments. By order of R. K.

The Kings Heralds and Home Guards of the First M. E. church will meet Saturday, January 25th at 2:30 at the home of Louise Barrett on North King street. Please bring new members.

Friends and neighbors are requested not to forget the entertainment and supper to be given at Maple Corner church on Friday evening, Jan. 24. Come and enjoy the good things with us. Everybody is welcome. Come.

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### DEATH OF MRS. BERTHA DREES MIFFLIN WAS DUE TO PNEUMONIA

Death of Mrs. Bertha Drees Mifflin, which occurred in New York, was caused by pneumonia and complications, according to information contained in a letter which was received today by Mrs. George Cooper. The letter was written to Mrs. Cooper by a friend of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Drees, at Lansing, Mich.

Mrs. Mifflin went to New York January 7, to meet her husband, Elgin Mifflin, a paymaster in the navy, on his return from France, and to inform him of the death of his father, who was buried the day before he landed.

She was taken ill of a severe cold on the train, but had virtually recovered from that trouble, when pneumonia developed, and she died the following day.

She was also stricken the day before her death by a violent headache, an ailment to which she had been subject for some time. Her death was entirely unexpected.

The body of Mrs. Mifflin, accompanied by her husband, and his brother, Plummer Mifflin, was to be taken back to the home in Lansing, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilson of the Stevenson road, went to Anderson Ind., Wednesday morning where they will spend the balance of the week visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kogle.

Really good value, Mrs. Austin's Famous Buckwheat. A good big package for a quarter.

## Schmidt's BIG GROCERY SPECIALS

J. O. W. CREAMERY BUTTER, PER POUND ... 65c

BREAD TWO FULL POUND LOAVES 15c

Mocha and Java coffee steel cut. Per lb 22c

TOMATOES PER CAN 11c

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CORN Best Grade 25c Ohio Corn

APRICOTS Fancy, Per Can 18c

FLOUR—Gold Medal 73c Per Sack

Schmidt's Ocean Light, per sack 69c

POTATOES, Per Bushel \$1.25

LARD—Pure Kettle Rendered, per lb 27c

Plenty of Brown Sugar and Corn Syrup

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**GRANGE NOTES**

Nearly all Greene county Granges have installed their new officers and are preparing for the biggest year in Grange history.

After a year of inactivity due to sickness, bad roads and other unpreventable causes Caesar Creek Grange has taken on new life and is planning for some effective Grange work the coming year. The new officers were installed on Tuesday evening and they took up their respective duties with the determination to have a strong Grange before the end of the year. Several members of Beaver Grange were present.

At its next meeting Beaver Grange will give an oyster supper at the home of Robert McClellan for the members and their families.

The regular meeting of the Greene County Pomona Grange will be held at K. of P. Hall in Xenia on Wednesday, Jan. 29, at 10:00 a.m. A large crowd is expected to take the fifth degree. Immediately after din-

ner the county deputy and Pomona Master will hold a master's conference and the Pomona lecturer will hold a lecturer's conference. Every master and lecturer in the county is urged to attend these conferences. The new officers will be installed and the lecturer has prepared an interesting program.

The State Grange has asked for 50 new Granges this year and Greene county has decided to try to accomplish the following: Three new Granges, three new Juvenile Granges and 300 new members. Come to Pomona next Wednesday and learn more about it.

**FIRST SHIP OFF FOR NEAR EAST**

New York.—(Special)—The first of a fleet of relief ships owned by the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief sailed from New York this week for ports in Asia Minor. This vessel is the Mercurius, which has been given to the committee by the navy department with the approval of the food administration. The president and Herbert Hoover, director general of the interallied food administration, are in hearty sympathy with the aims of the committee and are aiding in every way, as indicated by their recent cablegrams to the officials of the organization.

Sailing of the Mercurius precedes by only a few days the opening of the Armenian and Syrian Relief Committee Campaign in the United States for \$30,000,000, with which to carry on further relief work. The campaign will be held the week of Jan. 27. Ohio's quota is \$1,640,000.

Carrying an assorted cargo of materials and equipment for relief purposes, the Mercurius will reach Constantinople in about 30 days, and begin the work of distributing food, clothing and medical supplies among the starving and plague-infested peoples of Armenia, Syria and Persia, and among the Greeks of Asia Minor.

Another steamer, similarly equipped, but carrying even more food-stuffs and other goods, will sail from this port about the middle of the month. This ship, too, has been presented to the American Committee for Relief in the Near East by the government. Only last week the steamer West Cape, laden with a million and a half dollars' worth of flour, sailed for Constantinople and Beirut, Syria. The 7,555 tons of flour are the property of the committee, having been purchased with the consent of the food administration for distribution throughout Asia Minor by way of the ports mentioned above. The committee has directors in this hither-to-unknown area who are supervising the feeding and healing of millions of Armenians, Syrians, Greeks and Persians. The West Cape is not the property of the committee. It is the Mercurius which is the first of the completely equipped relief ships owned by the committee to be sent on its mission of mercy.

On board the Mercurius are 24 small motor cars, 20 motorcycles, 13 ambulances, 60 motor trucks, 2,000,000 yards of cloth, 100,000 blankets, 50,000 pairs of shoes, 1,000 cases of refugee clothing, 200 tons of food-stuffs, chiefly groceries; seven 100-bed hospital units and 10,000 cans of condensed milk.

A special license was required from the food administration for the export of this great quantity of prepared milk. Were it not for the fact that this commodity is intended for hungry babies and children in the Near East, the government would not permit it to be sent out of the country in bulk. The committee got in touch with the food administration in Washington and obtained permission to take out the milk.

Captain Caleb L. Morris, U. S. N., commanding the Mercurius, will get in touch at Constantinople with the commissioners who sailed from this port a week ago to make a survey of Asia Minor for the American Committee for Relief in the Near East. The commissioners are Dr. James L. Barton, Dr. J. F. H. Main, president of Grinnell College, Iowa; Arthur Curtis James, Dr. E. C. Moore of Harvard University, Dr. W. W. Peet of Washington, Dr. G. H. Washburn of Boston and Harold A. Hatch of New York City.

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**LAMMAS STREET.**  
Carmarthen (Wales) folks are proud of their Lammas street, whence comes the Welsh name Heol Awst. It is generally known that "Lammas" is a corruption of "Loafmass," so called because it was the custom on August 1 to present at church a big firstfruits loaf made from the new corn. The custom still lingers in a Kentish parish, where a sheaf of the new wheat is placed on the altar before the holy communion is celebrated. In Scotland "Lammas" is a quarter-day, and in some rural districts of England there are "Lammas funds." Lammas day is a regular holiday in England.

**FEW CENTS DESTROYS YOUR DANDRUFF AND STOPS FALLING HAIR**

Save your hair! Make it thick, wavy and beautiful—try this!

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggly hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scour.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save hair.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

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Origin of "Gyp."

As the correspondent of the Dickensian suspected, it is probably quite new to most people that the nom de plume "Gyp" of the well-known French novelist was taken from a Dickens novel. Such is, however, the case. Gyp is the little dog Jip of David Copperfield, with the J changed to a G, so that the initial letter might be the same as that of the Christlike name of Countess Sybille Gabrielle Marie Antoinette de Martel de Janville, the lady so well known to the French reading world as "Gyp"—Christian Science Monitor.

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## A FAIR BEGINNING.

If fair words be a fair token of the action which is to be taken by what President Wilson described as "the supreme conference in the history of mankind," at its opening session in Paris, then much of the doubts and misgivings of previous days have been without just cause.

The welcoming address of the President of France, the remarks of President Wilson and Lloyd George and finally the speech of Clemenceau breathed the very spirit of concord and justice. These distinguished leaders of the three great powers at the conference spoke in unqualified terms of the necessity of a peace of justice, they referred to the fourteen peace terms of Wilson as the starting point and the foundation of the deliberations of the conference, and—what is of supreme importance—they put the formation of a League of Nations in the very forefront of the program to be followed.

Amplifying his thought that the delegates were to "seek nothing but justice—justice that knows no favoritism, justice in territorial, financial and economic problems." President Poincaré said:

"What justice banishes is the dream of conquest and imperialism, contempt for national will, the arbitrary exchange of provinces between States as though peoples were but articles of furniture or pawns in a game."

The words of M. Clemenceau accepting the presidency of the conference had deep significance. He recognized in the assembling of the conference itself the creation of a league of nations, the initial act in the execution of the program laid down by President Wilson. He emphasized the fact that the representatives of the nations were there as friends, and his hope that they must leave as friends, indicated a spirit of accommodation that promises well for the fulfillment of that hope.

That the sentiment reflected in these utterances at the opening of the conference in Paris may continue to actuate its proceedings is the earnest hope of the nations which have in one sense committed their destinies and their future to the august assembly now sitting at the French capital.

## THE KAISER AS AN ARCH CRIMINAL.

Whatever the high legal authorities of France and the Allied nations may work out as to the method by which the former Emperor of Germany may be tried by an international tribunal, there is no doubt that the world at large will welcome his indictment and conviction. He has already been tried at the bar of public opinion, condemned and, in a way, is under punishment, not only through the loss of his prerogatives as king and kaiser, but through the fact that he is in all essentials a prisoner, undergoing an indeterminate sentence. He has escaped that precise indictment that is due him as the greatest criminal of his time, who betrayed his own people and the whole world for ambitions so devilish that the desire for justice that resides in most people calls loudly for the formal branding of the war-lord with that mark of Cain that is to be his supreme distinction before all mankind.

Modern public law does not recognize irresponsible royal or executive authorities, even those at the very top. The world, therefore, will look forward with hope to seeing the Peace Conference sit as a high court which will impeach the kaiser, and in doing so make him a lesson for all time.

## Opportunity.

"The knell of lost opportunity is never tolled in this life." Is some one's reassuring word to all who have let more than one opportunity slip by. It is never too late to profit by one's mistakes, and press on once more to success. Opportunity is not a solitary genius who comes once, then vanishes. He belongs to a large family of man's well-wishers. If we fail to cleave to the elder brothers we can welcome the younger brothers of the clan. Occasionally one finds also that phenomenon of human families—a younger brother, taller, braver and even more glorious in strength and valor than his fellows. Such inter-coming opportunity may reveal himself to any one of us. Only let us keep our courage keen, keep our eyes clear-sighted, and our faith serene; and when any member of the family of Opportunity appears, claim him and cleave to him with all our power.—Montreal Herald.

## THERE MUST BE A WORLD "MAILED FIST."

It seems but yesterday that the "concert of power" was a familiar phrase in international statesmanship. Yet that concert proved an illusive thing, and wars were waged, territory stolen, weak races ruthlessly robbed of their rights, treaties broken, massacres perpetrated, the "concert of power" being impotent to avert these things. Now, however, the intelligence and humanity of all the peoples have been quickened to understand the practicability and the imperative need of the League of Nations as the foundation of the world's hope of permanent peace. This is what our President has felicitously called the final or crowning enterprise of humanity. He found the leading statesmen in both Britain and France already impressed with the conviction that such a League was the true guarantee of enduring peace, and this he regarded as the most reassuring thing that has ever happened in the world.

## NEW BURLINGTON

W. C. Smith and family spent the week end with Wilmington relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coyle were called to Beechcroft Thursday by the illness of their daughter, Miss Edna Coyle, who teaches school there.

Rev. Wright is conducting a series of meetings at Lumberton.

Mrs. Martha Mabin of Dayton, is visiting her son, Walter Moore and family.

Mrs. T. C. Haydock is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Shidaker near Harveyburg.

Mrs. Elmer Barnes and children of near McKays Station, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Powell.

Rev. and Mrs. O. M. Sellers of New Carlisle, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harlan.

Mrs. Chester Bradstreet of near Xenia, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Blair and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and son of Spring Valley, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Scammonham.

Arthur Hartman and family of near Wilmington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Hill of Cedarville, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hill.

Wm. Mills is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Lou Lloyd has returned from a visit with relatives at Spring Valley and Waynesville.

## GREENE CO. BOY NOW OFFICIALLY REPORTED ALIVE

Under the heading "Erroneously reported died from wounds received in action," in Thursday's casualty list, is the name of William H. Hoyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoyle, of R. F. D. 1, Spring Valley.

Private Hoyle was reported to be dead from wounds received in action some time ago, although his parents had received a letter from him written since the time he was supposed to have died. The erroneous report caused them much anxiety however, until a later letter announced that the lad was well. This letter was written since the armistice was signed.

Following the assurance given in this letter, the casualty list of several weeks ago carried the report that the young man was dead, and the refutation of the erroneous report has just been made.

## Counteracting Foul Air.

At times it is quite necessary to be in a place where quarters are close and the air anything but fresh. In crowded cars, for example, in subways, elevators, busses and other means of conveyance, as well as in halls and theaters, the waste material present in the air almost always exceeds the amount of oxygen present. It is largely due to this condition of the air that allments are contracted to such a great extent in these places. Take breaths deep as you possibly can when you get on a car and when you get off. In either instance you load your tiny blood tubes and vessels with plenty of oxygen, so that you prepare a way strongly to resist the poisonous influence of the air you must breathe during the next few moments or for the next hour or so.

## MOTORADS

Automobile fires which originate within the car itself are most commonly caused by back fires into the carburetor, or by accidental sparks. They are fed by split gasoline and by oil and grease which has collected upon the car parts, and the fire then spreads to the wiring, the upholstery and all combustible parts.

Back fires may be prevented by supplying an excess of gasoline when the engine is cold, so that the mixture may not be lean enough to burn so closely as to be capable of firing an entering charge. A fine wire gauze cone, set into the intake pipe at the carburetor flange, is said to prevent fire from reaching the carburetor.

Stray electrical flashes may be prevented by seeing that the terminals do not become loose or detached, or that short circuits do not occur from the wearing away of insulation or other causes. Most cars are now so well wired that short circuit fires very seldom occur. It is of the utmost importance that spilled or leaking gasoline should be avoided, as it is usually the ignition of the vapor that starts a fire.

## TWENTY YEARS AGO

W. C. Smith and family spent the week end with Wilmington relatives.

Mr. Frank Tarbox, the new deputy sheriff, was on hand this morning but looks a little thin on account of his attack of grippe.

Col. Al Hussang, of the Third Regiment Knights of St. John, of Dayton, was here yesterday installing the officers of Commandery 156.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lampert spent Sunday in Cincinnati, and attended a dinner given in honor of the 50th anniversary of his parents wedding.

Mr. John Beatty, who for many years was connected with the Adair furniture store, but who has more recently been with J. C. Conwell, will return to his former position with Mr. Adair the first of February.

Mr. Louis A. Wooley, well known and popular young man, perpetrated considerable of a surprise on his friends Saturday evening when he was quietly married to Miss Carrie Humphries of New Jasper.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Hill of Cedarville, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hill.

Wm. Mills is confined to his home by illness.

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## Everyday Etiquette

"When several girls send one gift to a bride should they enclose just one card?" asked Marjorie.

"Each girl should enclose her card with the gift," answered her older sister.

## SETH SNOWDEN FARM NEAR WILMINGTON, IS SOLD

Seth Snowden has sold his handsome home and farm of 113 acres, just west of Wilmington on the Harrisburg pike, to John Black, of the Martinsville neighborhood, and with his wife will soon go to Florida for the balance of the winter.

This farm was formerly the property of the late H. A. Snowden, and had been in the Snowden family for more than a century probably. Mr. Black will be given possession soon.

Mr. Snowden still owns the old Lincoln farm in the rear of the one he has sold, and will reside there.—Wilmington News.

## Hardships of Trapping.

The North American Indian is the ideal trapper, and the Canadian and American frontiersmen come next. In habit they are all much alike. They live far from the haunts of men, they abide in smoky and smelly tepees or log cabins, they live on coarse food of very few kinds, and in winter they seldom get a bath or haircut. From the beginning of the long and dreary winter to the end of it, the frontiersmen trappers are engaged in a hand-to-hand fight with the elements. They must wade countless miles through deep snow, and terrible cold to set their trap lines and then to visit them looking for results. They take great risks of getting frozen to death or meeting with accidents alone and far from help.

When traps have been set they must be visited regularly. The modern white trapper lives better than the old type and he keeps himself as clean as any other backwoodsman.

Ruth was really very practical where business matters were concerned. The responsibility which had been necessarily hers because of the war taking so much of her employer's time and attention, so throwing on her shoulders the onus of the business, had developed her greatly along the practical lines of affairs. Not only had she become an artistic and valuable member of Mandel's force because of this, but also because she had, through this late experience, become almost the business manager of the firm as well.

Brian was truly astonished at her acumen, but he said nothing of this to her. He was too well pleased with the way matters were going;

## POSTUM

A hot drink that braces one on a winter day without artificial stimulation and the subsequent let-down sometimes felt by coffee drinkers.

No "coffee" in POSTUM

"There's a Reason"

too happy that she was going to, at last be contented to remain at home. "Will it put you out if I bring Major Williams home to dinner tomorrow night?" Brian asked as they started for bed. Ruth was delighted. More because it proved that perhaps she WAS doing what would be for the best happiness of both in the end, than because she really cared about meeting Major Williams. Tomorrow—Ruth Plans A Surprise For Brian.

## LUMBERTON

Mr. Arthur Oglesbee and family spent Sunday in Xenia the guest of Mr. George Street and family.

Mr. Elmer Lewis and family spent Sunday with Mr. C. H. Vanter and family of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Oglesbee spent the week end with Mrs. Thurman Oglesbee of Celina.

Mrs. Sarah Sodders of Yellow Springs spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Truman Hiatt.

Mr. Grant Conklin and family was the guest of Mr. Jesse Starbuck and family of Dover Sunday.

Mr. William Hiatt and son Truman spent a few days last week in Springfield, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. St. John.

## TO WARD OFF ILLNESS

If you are bloated, languid or lazy, have "the blues," headaches, palpitation, biliousness, bad breath, gas, constipation or indigestion, you will feel better in the morning if you take a Foley Cathartic Tablet tonight. This is a wholesome laxative and cleansing physic that acts without inconvenience, griping or nausea. Sayre & Hemphill.

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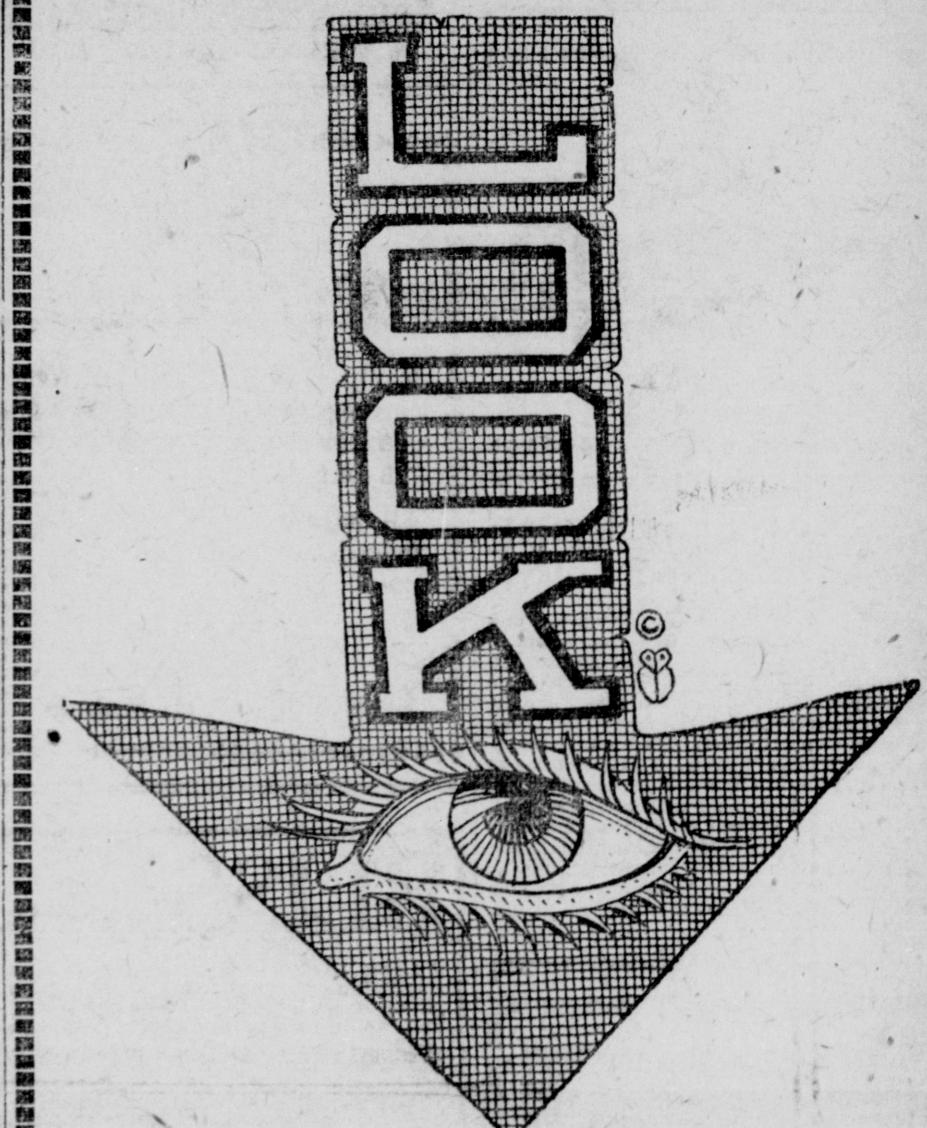
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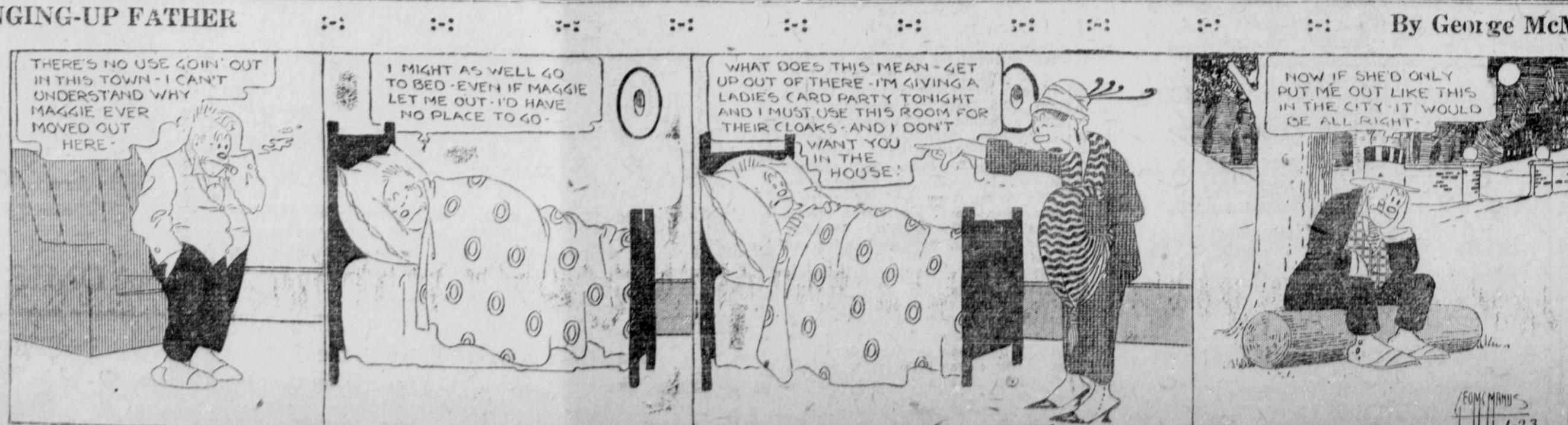
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By doing a few washings and keeping roomers this frail woman will endeavor to make ends meet.

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## FRENCH SERGE FROCK FOR LATE WINTER GIVES A FEW HINTS FOR EARLY SPRING



The one-piece frocks which are being shown in the shops now show the tendencies of the spring fashions, namely, an extremely long skirt drawn very tight about the ankles, a stand-up collar, a round neckline, and a sash of some sort or other. This serviceable frock is made of French serge. The lines are very graceful and simple, with beige colored satin and stitching forming a smart contrast to the blue.

## SCIENTISTS TO ASK REMOVAL OF BANS

Christian Scientists have submitted to the general assembly a measure they believe is minus some of the features objected to in former efforts to get exemption from the medical practice control act.

The bill specifies Christian Science instead of referring in a general way to healing by spiritual means or prayer.

Objection to the exemption formerly was made that it would throw the door wide open to imposters, soothsayers and others professing to practice under the guise of religion.

**Thirty States' Experience.**  
Senator Davis of Youngstown and Representative Morris of Cincinnati, in the senate and house, respectively, yesterday introduced a bill which would add these words to the medical practice law:

Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to apply to persons practicing Christian Science, with or without compensation, provided they do not prescribe or administer drugs or medicine, nor perform surgical or physical operations, nor assume the title of, or hold themselves out to be, physicians or surgeons, and provided they shall not be exempt from the operation and enforcement of the sanitary and quarantine laws of the state.

The bill, as introduced, is verbatim the proposal recommended by Senator Howell Wright, secretary of the Cleveland Hospital council, who was appointed by Governor Cox to make a study of and offer recommendations regarding supervision and regulation of hospitals under the operation of the medical practice act.

Senator Wright wrote to the medical boards and public health departments of 30 states which have legalized Christian Science, asking whether imposters have taken advantage of the exemption, whether Christian Science practitioners have observed the provisions of the sanitary code, and whether they failed to report contagious and infectious diseases.

**Not a Menace.**  
After giving a digest of replies, Wright, in his report to the governor, makes this comment:

"Certainly Christian Scientists can not be held responsible for the existence of a few imposters, and, admittedly, from the information secured, the number is limited. The replies indicate a strong willingness and tendency on the part of Christian Scientists to comply with the sanitary rules and regulations as to reporting of contagious diseases. And, very apparently, medical officials in but a few states consider Christian Scientists a menace to public health. On the whole the information secured favors Christian Science and would seem to justify the exemption from medical practice acts in force in 30 other states."

Commenting on the amendment of the Ohio medical practice act as proposed by the bill introduced by Senator Davis and Representative Morris, Senator Wright's report says:

"Every possible safeguard for the public has been included in this amendment. The experience of other states, as expressed in their statutes, is expressed in the proposed amendment. If this amendment is enacted and properly enforced, the public need have no fear of the practice of Christian Science. Indeed, it may be said with truth that Christian Scientists will not burden the department enforcing this law, for they are intelligent and law-abiding citizens."

### To Prevent Rugs Slipping.

There are many devices to prevent rugs from slipping on highly-polished floors. One of the best and also the cheapest is to cut pieces of rough sheathing paper the exact size of the rugs and lay it under them. They will not move them. Another way is to sew triangles of corrugated rubber sheeting to the corners of the rugs.

## Children Cry for Fletcher's

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of **Chas. H. Fletcher** and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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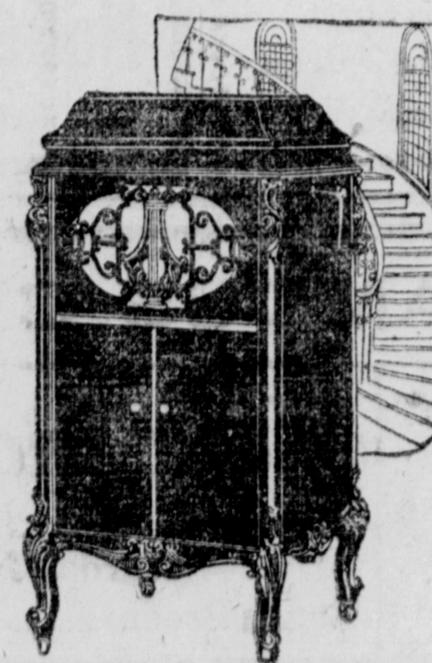
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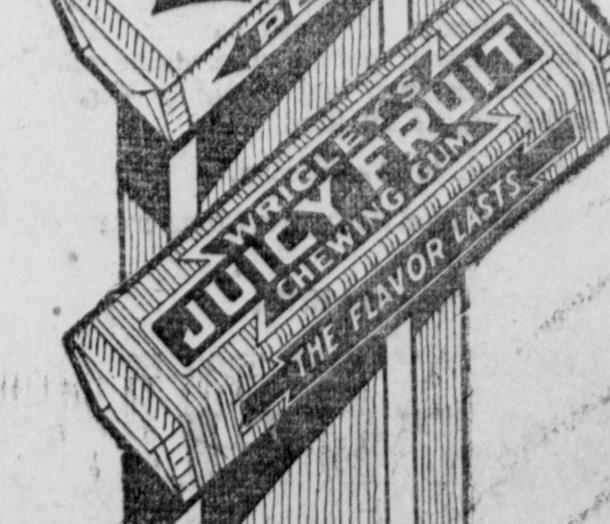
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Look closer at the clothes than you do at the price. See what we furnish

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One horse Troy Wagon, almost new,  
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# PUBLIC SALE

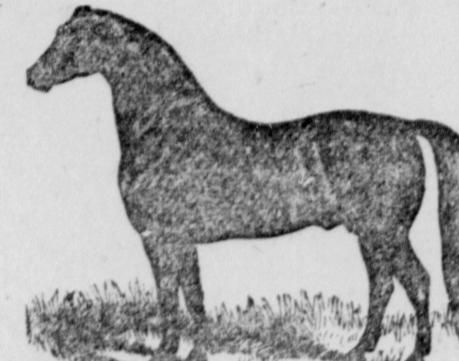
Having sold my farm, I will offer at public auction, 7 miles south-east of Xenia, 6 miles south-west of Jamestown on the Hook road, 2 miles north of Paintersville, on

**Wednesday, February 5, 1919**

beginning at 10 a. m., the following property:

## 5 Head of Horses

1 Bay Horse 9 years old.  
1 Black Mare 15 years old.  
1 Roan Mare 14 years old.  
1 Bay Mare 16 years old.

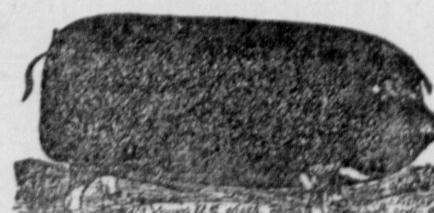


## 8--HEAD OF CATTLE--8

One White Cow, 5 years old, fresh last of April. One Red Cow 5 years old. One Jersey cow, 4 years old, fresh in July. One Red cow 7 years old, fresh in April. One Jersey Heifer, 4 years old, fresh in April. One Black heifer, 3 years old, fresh in May. One Jersey cow, 9 years old, fresh in September. One heifer 2 years old, fresh in May. All cows giving good flow of milk.

## 6--HEAD OF HOGS--6

One red sow with 5 pigs. Two Poland China sows will farrow by day of sale. One Poland China Sow will farrow in April. One red sow will farrow before day of sale. One Poland China male hog.



## FARM IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

Studebaker road wagon, Troy wagon with ladders, carriage, new rubber tire buggy, spring wagon, Gale riding breaking plow, walking plow used one year, one cultivator pivot axle, Sure drop corn planter fertilizer, with 80 rods of chain, disc harrow, 40 tooth harrow, Deering wheat binder, sled, 30 gallon oil tank, gravel bed, lawn mower, barrel of machine oil, 50 grain sacks, three sets of work harness, 3 sets buggy harness, two hog troughs, three hog boxes, watering trough, hay chute, piano box, tools and forks of all kind.

GRAIN AND FEED—Some hay, corn and fodder; 4 bushels of seed corn.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—One range cook stove, one DeLaval Separator; four cream cans. Other articles too numerous to mention.

FIVE PASSENGER OVERLAND Car 1918 Model, used but very little.

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

**L. E. SMITH**

R. R. GRIEVE, Auctioneer.

LUNCH BY LADIES AID OF MT. TABOR M. E. CHURCH.

machine with a pebble in the product. Such fires frequently result but are never serious. The flames in this case flashed under the apron of the machine and quickly ignited the unfortunate man's oil and grease soaked clothes. He was entirely enveloped in the flames before assistance could be rendered him.

Drs. Galloway and Messenger were called and the man was taken to the first aid room of the Kelly Co., where so terrible were his burns, that took the physicians two hours to dress them. He was later removed to the Espy Hospital where he was resting easier Thursday afternoon.

While burns are mostly only skin deep, the unfortunate man's condition is rendered more serious because the burns cover practically every portion of the body.

## COURT NEWS

After deliberating only a short time, the jury returned a verdict Thursday morning in favor of the P. C. C. and St. L. Railroad Company in the damage suit for \$15,000 which was brought by Virgil Shaffer as administrator of the estate of Adam Karns.

Mr. Stephens is employed in what is known as the batching room of the separation department, and was working a machine through which the suds are drawn. It is thought that the fire was started from a spark caused by a contact of the steel of the

### Riches in Pine Waste.

The industrial value of a full-grown pine tree is no less than five times what we get from it. If, of all the yellow pine cut, the entire trees were used, not only as theoretical science, there would be added to the estate of the American people every day 40,000 tons of paper, 3,000 tons of rosin, 300,000 gallons of turpentine and 600,000 gallons of ethyl or grain alcohol, together with the fuel for these industries and the lumber we get as it is. Of course this would require a heavy expenditure of capital and a large amount of labor, but the facts remain.

### WORTH \$50.00 A BOTTLE

Wm. Barnes, San Antonio, Texas, writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar has been worth \$50.00 a bottle to me. I had the flu," followed by pneumonia, which left me weak, with a persistent cough. The cough hung on. Some one advised Foley's Honey and Tar. I have completely recovered and do not cough at all." Sayre & Hemphill, adv.

## MANN MAY NOT BE ABLE TO BE IN THE FIGHT FOR SPEAKER

Washington, Jan. 23.—Rep. James B. Mann, of Illinois, candidate for the speakership of the next house, is not in as good physical condition as he was at the beginning of the present session, last December, according to reports among his friends today.

Whether Mann's condition will affect his speakership campaign was problematical.

## INTERNATIONAL FLAG HAS BEEN DESIGNED

Columbus, Jan. 23.—Leo E. Dwyer, Columbus, president of the motion picture firm of Dwyer Brothers & Co., has designed an international flag for the proposed league of nations. A copy has been sent to President Wilson.

The flag has a white field with a blue star to represent each country. Projecting from the world, which is in the center, is a hand holding the scales of justice. The world is encircled by a gold band.

Special significance is attached to each feature of the flag. The white field represents peace and purity; the stars are suggestive of the large and small nations comprising the league, and the blue represents their truth, sincerity and friendship; the world denotes cooperation by the league for the protection of all races, regardless of creed or color; the scales represent justice and the hand of gold signifies the wealth, heretofore wasted in war, to be employed henceforth for nobler purposes.

## POLICE NEWS

"Dayton Joe" Hartley, released from the work house Thursday morning, was ushered out of the city by Chief Canaday, before he got into further trouble. Joe was put on the Dayton car and shipped to that city.

Lester "Big Boy" Lewis, alleged deserter from the United States Army, was taken into custody by local police Wednesday and is being held pending the arrival of a guard from the Columbus barracks, who will transfer him there.

"Big Boy" holds the championship in the deserting from the army contest, and has eloped from the military seven or eight times. He was caught here several times but came back so regularly that no action was taken by the local authorities when he returned the last time. Chief Canaday received a letter from the government, however, asking that he be taken in charge and he was immediately placed under arrest.

## PROFESSIONAL JEALOUSY



First Press Agent—What made that prima donna demand your discharge?

Second Press Agent—I wrote an article saying that she sings like an angel. She said she saw no reason for complimentary reference to anybody's singing except her own.

### Took Time to Prepare Work.

The more one reads of the great war the more one must appreciate the fact that Victor Hugo's immortal description of the battle of Waterloo was not written until 1861, or 40 years after it happened, and time had been given for the dust to settle. It was 37 years after Waterloo that Tennyson wrote "Bury the Great Duke With an Empire's Lamentation."

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

## WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention The Xenia Gazette or The Xenia Republican.

## LETTER FROM RAY BRANNEN ON WAY FOR TWO MONTHS

More than two months after the armistice was signed, Mr. and Mrs. John Brannen of Home avenue, parents of Private Ray Brannen, received a letter from him which was written November 14. The latter came a few days ago, greatly relieving his anxious parents and wife. Mrs. Brannen received two letters Wednesday, which were written in Germany at a later date, and said that he was with the army of occupation.

Private Brannen is with the Three hundred and twenty second field artillery.

## WIDOW WANTS THE EXECUTOR OF BRYAN ESTATE REMOVED

Mrs. Fredericka Bryan, widow of John Bryan has filed a motion in the probate court of Hamilton county seeking to have Edgar Stark, trust officer of the Union Savings Bank and Trust company removed as executor of her husband's estate on the technical charge that he had allowed thirty days to pass without filing an inventory of the estate.

Bryan's estate is estimated at \$750,000 and last Monday, Stark, as executor, sued in the common pleas court at Cincinnati, to compel the Western Bank and Trust Company to repossess the contents of a safety deposit box there said to contain \$75,000 worth of Bryan's securities. The box was held in the name of L. N. Harper, and the executor declared that Bryan merely assumed this name. Until this is obtained, the estate cannot be appraised.

### World's Greatest Force.

It's mother's love in the apple dumplings that gives them an irresistible flavor.—Toledo Blade.

## BAD COLD? HEADACHY AND NOSE STUFFED

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends colds and gripe in a few hours.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all gripe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and sniffling. Ease your throbbing head—noting else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

Mrs. Austin's Pancake Flour is fine—ready in a Jiffy. Great big package for 25c.

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### NEW CURTAIN GOODS SCRIM MARQUISSETTE 18 to 32c

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White, best grade, yard 27c

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### HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

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2, 4, 5 and 6 ft Rules,

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### Frosted Tumblers

10c Values 5c

### OUTING FLANNEL

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### WHITE OUTING FLANNEL

30c

### Galetea for boys suits, 29c

### BROWN KNIT GLOVES

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### DARK DRESSING JACKETS

\$1.00 Value, 89c.

## Famous Cheap Store

Prompt Delivery

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## WILLARD WILL FIGHT CARPENTER BUT PURSE MUST BE BIG

Chicago, Jan. 23—Jess Willard, heavy weight champion, was here on business today—not boxing business, but oil business. And Jess declared he was making big money out of oil.

Willard, however, said he would fight if a bout could be arranged with Georges Carpenter.

Jess admitted the purse will be the largest factor in determining on a bout.

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## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—6 fine shoats, weighing about 100 lbs. Bell phone 510-W. 208 Dayton Ave. 1-23

FOR SALE—28 shoats, weight from 60 to 70 lbs. Floyd Weaver, Citizens phone 11-829. 1-25

FOR SALE—6 White Plymouth Rock Coockers. Fishel strain. \$2.50 each. N. P. Ebwbank, Cedarville, O. Phone 13. 1-25

FOR SALE—20 Belgian hares. Call Mrs. C. E. Dowdell. 1-25

FOR SALE—9 shoats, wt. about 60 lbs. Call M. J. Dunn grocery, S. Monroe street. 1-25

FOR SALE—Go-cart. Inquire at 105 S. Galloway St. 1-25

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock coockers. L. B. Harmer, Bell 42-L. 1-25

FOR SALE—Square piano, chipp. 338 E. Second St. Bell phone 259-R. 1-24

FOR SALE—Hot blast heating stove, good as new. Harry E. Spencer, 103 E. Second St. Bell 639-R. Citizens 392. 1-24

FOR SALE—The Boss Hog Feeder. The best feeder on the market. Price \$30. See it at our store. The Huston-Bickett Hardware Co. 2-3

FOR SALE or Rent Immediately stock or dairy farm 65 acres. C. C. Turner, Wilberforce. Cit. phone 3-807. Bell phone 4008-R-12. 1-28

FOR SALE—Large red baby carriage good as new. Call Bell phone 157-W. 1-23

FOR SALE—Two suits of clothes, one overcoat, one lady's winter coat. Call third floor, west side Davidson apartments. 1-23

FOR SALE—Cheap, two trunks, one large wicker trunk in good condition, one small trunk. Call Bell 426-W. 1-23

FOR SALE—We will have a car of sound yellow ear corn in a few days. Call us up. Ervin Bros. & Davis. 1-27

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red and Buckeye Coockers. George Bradley, Xenia, Ohio. 2-1

FOR SALE—200 bushels corn in crib. Bell 741-R-20. William Laurens, R. R. 10. 1-23

FOR SALE—Full blooded White Wyandotte coockers. Phone 4039-R-20 or see Fred Collins. 1-23

EXCELLENT SEED CORN—Yellow, from home grown seed. Sold per bushel per acre this year. \$3.50 per bu. A. E. Swaby, Cedarville, O. Bell 363-W-3. Both phones. 1-23

FOR SALE—Shropshire ewes, 20 years old, seven lambs. E. S. Davidson, 263-W-3 Bell. 1-23

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal also griddles and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Pohl second hand store Third street, two doors west of Detroit. 4-8-8f

## REAL ESTATE

FARMS—60 acres \$4500. 165 rich acres excellent improvements, near Dayton electric. \$225 acre. Barbine, Allen Building. Telephones. 2-20

FOR SALE—Farms, houses, farm 125 A.; farm 105 A.; farm 107 A.; farm 80 A.; farm 50 A.; farm 31 A.; farm 25 A.; farm 10 A.; farm 8 A. Houses in all parts of the city from \$1,500 up. Price to Bell. Both phones. 1-23

HOUSE of six rooms for sale. \$50 cash, balance ten dollars monthly. Barbine, Allen Building. Xenia, O. 2-5

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## WANTED

WANTED—Family washings. Call Home Laundry, Bell 756-W. 1-25

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young girl. Business College education and able to take dictation. Call Bell phone 4017-Ring 15. 1-24

WANTED—To work on farm by the month or a farm on the third. Experienced. Address Charles T. Horner, R. R. 1, P. O. Xenia, O. Springfield and Clifton pikes. 1-24

WANTED—To rent a stock and grain farm, furnished by experienced man, or will consider a proposition, as manager. A. Parker, 2412 Harris Ave. Xenia, O. 1-29

WANTED—Good second hand Oliver typewriter. State basic cash price, and where machine may be seen. Address "Oliver," care Xenia Gazette. 1-23

WANTED—Boys 16 years old to learn the cutting trade. Apply Cutting Dept. Xenia Shoe Company. 1-23

WANTED—To buy barns. H. O. Beatty, R. 75 Xenia. 1-23

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A grey cloth gauntlet glove either on the North King street or on the Elbow Theatre to N. King Plaza please leave at the Model Tailors West Main St.

(Thur.Jan19-23-30-Feb6)

## Public Sales

Have your sale announced FREE in this column early, so that you may claim your date and others will stay off of it. These ads are run every day and are gratis with the large display advertising. We also furnish sale bills without charge. Let us tell you about it.

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In these days of high egg prices every family is a likely addition to the already vast army of back-yard poultry keepers. The United States government is actively encouraging this proposition, the department of agriculture having recently issued a special bulletin on it.

The keeping of a small flock of laying hens on a town or village lot or in a city back yard is an important branch of poultry keeping. Though the value of the product from each flock is small of itself the aggregate is large. The product of such a flock, both in the form of eggs and fowls for the table, may be produced at a relatively low cost, because of the possibilities of utilizing table scraps and kitchen waste which would otherwise be thrown away. A small flock of hens, even as few as six or eight, should produce eggs enough, where used economically, for a family of four or five persons throughout the entire year, except during the molting period of the fall and early winter. By the preservation of surplus eggs produced during the spring and early summer this period of scarcity can be provided for. The keeping of pullets instead of hens will insure the production of eggs at this time. Not only will the eggs from the home flock materially reduce the cost of living, but the superior freshness and quality of the eggs are in themselves well worth the effort ex-

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 4th, 10:00 a. m. at Ed. Partington farm, 3 mi. West of Spring Valley 2½ mi. S. E. of Bellwood on the Utica-Circleville-Spring Valley pike. COMPLETE TURNING OUTFIT—4 horses, 4 cows, 16 hogs, 11 sheep, feed, poultry, farm implements, harness. Wright & McNeil, Auctioneers, Mouth & Weikert, Clerk. Lunch. DAVID LUCAS & EDW. PAINTINGTON, N. C.

PUBLIC SALE—At my farm on the Hook road 7 mi. southeast of Xenia and 3 miles south of Jamestown, Wednesday, February 5th at 10 a. m. 5 horses, 14 cattle, 6 hogs, auto, bug implements, corn, hay, fodder, household goods. Grieve, Auctioneer. C. R. Bales, Clerk.

L. E. SMITH.

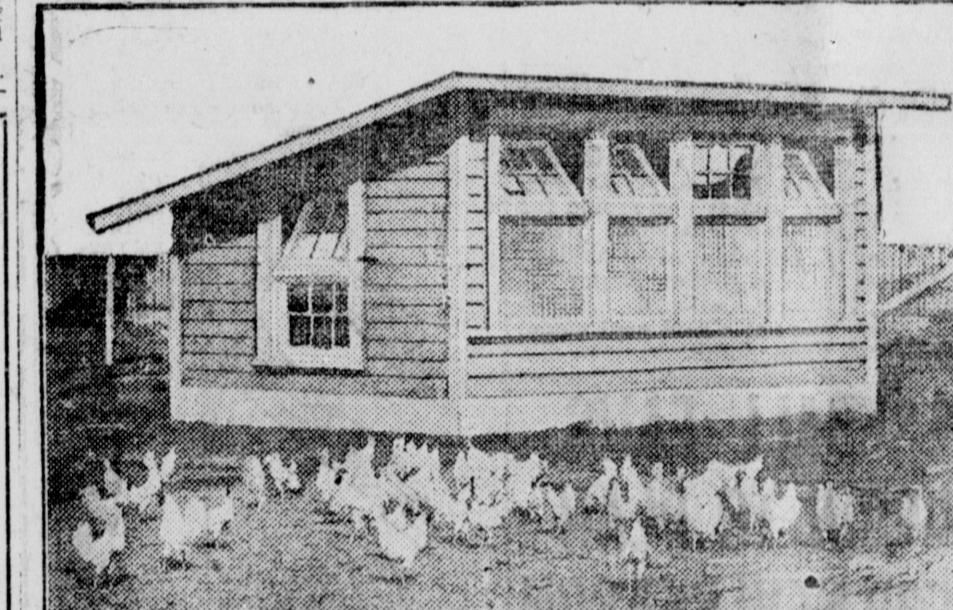
PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 26th at 10:00 a. m. on the farm of Mr. L. E. Corry, Xenia, on the Hook road, 3 mi. S. E. of Xenia—8 horses, 17 head, farm implements, feed. Auctioneers, Mouth & Weikert & McCallister. Clerk, T. C. Long. N. C. L. B. STINGLEY.

PUBLIC SALE—Mar. 11th, 10 a. m. at the Elder R. Corry farm, 1½ way between Cedarville and Clifton—15 horses, 43 head of cattle, 60 head of hogs, 23 head of sheep, corn and hay. Auctioneer, R. E. Corry. Auctioneer, W. F. Smith, Dayton. Harry Wilson, R. D. Cedarville. Robert Corry, Yellow Springs. O. C. Lester, Clifton. R. E. Corry. Jess Stark, R. D. Waynesville. W. Sears, Waynesville. C. T. Hawke, Waynesville. A. M. Neale, Centerville. Frank Morrow, R. D. Jamestown. E. C. Sessar, Jamestown. E. C. Sessar, Jamestown. O. C. Lester, R. D. Cedarville. O. Allison Bros., R. 3, Cedarville, O.

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pended. Eggs are a highly nutritious food and are so widely used as to be almost indispensable, and an occasional chicken dinner is relished by everyone.

Where conditions render it feasible and cheap, small flocks of poultry should be kept to a greater extent than at present by families in villages and towns, and especially in the suburbs of large cities.

## Need Not Be Nuisance.

Objection is frequently raised to the keeping of poultry in towns and cities because of the odor which may result and also because of the noise which is made by roosters crowing, particularly in the early morning. In some cases city regulations have been formulated to prevent or to control poultry keeping. Where there are city regulations it is necessary to find out their provisions and to conform to them. There is no necessity for the poultry flock to become a nuisance to neighbors. If the droppings boards are cleaned daily and the houses and yards are kept in a reasonably clean condition there will be no annoying odors.

The male bird need not be a nuisance. Unless it is intended to hatch chickens from the flock it is unnecessary to keep a male bird. The fact that there is no male in the flock will have absolutely no effect on the number of eggs laid by the hens. If it is desired to mate the hens and to hatch chicks the male bird should be sold or eaten just as soon as the hatching season is over. This is desirable not only for the purpose of eliminating noises, but also to save the feed that would be eaten by the male and for the reason that the eggs produced after the male is disposed of will be infertile.

The flock must be kept confined; otherwise the hens will stray into neighbors' yards and gardens, where they may cause damage and are almost always sure to cause ill feeling.

## House Need Not Be Expensive.

This plan makes a convenient little poultry house for either farm or village where good poultry is kept for breeding.

This poultry house is large enough to hold 25 or 30 laying hens. It needs about that many together in the winter time to keep them warm.

In making this house warm for a cold climate, it is necessary to make the walls double. A light two by four sill is placed on top of the concrete wall and it should be bolted down; two by four studding is covered both outside and inside with building paper.

The outside is finished with drop siding or clapboards. The inside is boarded with narrow matched siding with batten.

The roof is made warm the same as the sides, and in very much the same manner. Kiln-dried lining is very much preferred and should be thoroughly well-nailed to prevent the joints from opening. The inside of a poultry house must have no cracks to harbor mice or lice.

three square feet. Houses must be dry and free from draft, but must allow ventilation. Often there is a small unused shed or building on the place which can easily be converted into a chicken house. The front of the poultry house should be faced toward the south, if possible, so that the sun will shine into it. Perfectly satisfactory houses can be made cheaply from piano boxes or other packing cases. Two piano boxes with the backs removed can be nailed together and a door cut in the end. These boxes should be covered with a roofing paper in order to keep the house dry and make it wind-proof. A portion of the door should be left open or covered with a piece of muslin, so as to allow ventilation. Similar houses can be constructed of packing cases at a relatively small cost. A small amount of two by four or two by three lumber can be purchased for framing. The box boards can be applied for siding or sheathing, and then covered with roofing paper. Where there is a board fence it is sometimes possible to take advantage of this by building the poultry house in the corner of the fence, and making the fence itself, with the cracks covered by strips or battens, serve as the back and one side of the house.

A cheap house 12 by 16 feet can be made of two by four inch pieces and 12-inch boards. Plans for such a house are given. It is constructed on the curtain front plan, which supplies the most satisfactory ventilating system ever adopted in a poultry house. As the illustration shows, the glass sash are up near the roof in the high front to admit sunshine directly onto the scratching floor late in winter when the sun is high up overhead.

## Ventilation Through Curtains.

In very cold sections of the country sash may be fitted into the lower parts of the window frames, but always one must be left open for ventilation through the curtain. Thin five-cent cheesecloth is used for this purpose. Poultry writers sometimes make the mistake of calling it "canvas." Canvas means airtight or watertight. The windows might as well be boarded across as to fill in the openings with canvas.

The most approved ventilating windows have the muslin stretched over an inner frame, which fits into a heavier frame in such a way as to stretch the muslin tight and to permit easy removal for washing. When muslin is clean, the light gets through it as well as the air. It looks cleaner and better to have muslin nice and white.

As the season advances the upper

windows are left open, as shown in the illustration.

The foundation is made of concrete for warmth and to prevent rats and mice and other vermin from getting into the poultry house.

All the hen furniture is made easily removable for cleaning. The droppings board supports the nest boxes. The boxes may be detached from the under side of the droppings board; the

nest boxes are under the droppings board.

SCRATCHING FLOOR

MUSLIN

Interior Plan.

droppings board may be unhinged, and the roosts lifted off, so that the whole outfit is easily carried outdoors for cleaning and sterilizing by the action of the sun.

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**Coffee** FRENCH BRAND, will be your choice after the first cup 32c

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Dried Mint, 9 cans 6c

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and quiet Xenians yet that is but a few of the tentative plans, that have been talked of considerably in this city lately and which have reached the point where they have become a very plausible possibility. Interest in the affair is growing rapidly and financial assistance has been offered to promoters of the plan.

While several locations have been suggested for the situation for the country club, of which there are many in Greene County's natural beauty spots, the latest and most plausible plan that has been talked of among agitators of the movement, involves the use of the plant of the Xenia Water Company on the Springfield pike. If the city of Xenia buys the Water Company and opens a new water supply, as will be absolutely necessary, the plant of the Springfield pike pumping station, would make an ideal location for a country club and could be easily converted for that purpose.

Situated on the car line, easy of access, in a beautiful little valley, the club would have to begin with 21 acres of rolling pasture land, with plenty of permanent pasture adjacent for splendid golf links and tennis courts. Two lakes of considerable size and a depth of thirty feet provide ideal boating, fishing and swimming. By the clever hand of the architect, the big brick building of the pumping station, could be

turned into an ideal club house. The building is high enough for two stories, and tentative plans equip it with a handsome dining room on the second floor, a 30 by 50 foot dance hall on the ground floor and shower baths in the basement. A brick building for storing coal could be easily and inexpensively converted into a kitchen. The tenant house on the place would make an ideal caretaker's house and present equipment on the place accommodate themselves easily to the plan in view.

The place is delightfully situated and a constant breeze keeps the spot cool in the summer. There is plenty of verdure, grass and trees, with a handsome lane of hard maple trees leading from the traction line to the buildings. A veranda could be added to the south and east sides of the building which would add greatly to the pleasantness and comfort of the club house and provide for a view of the surrounding country.

The need of such a place is poignant. Xenians who spend their summers here, are bound to go out of town for their amusements and recreation. This fact has done much to take the interest of many people from this city. Few of the many parks and clubs in other cities are satisfactory and it is believed that the founding of a country club here, would be popular not only with Xenians but with people of the nearby cities.

### GRAPE GROVE

Wm. Stittsworth and family spent Sunday with Albert Dewitt and family of South Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilt of Washington C. H., spent a few days last week with Thomas Elliott and family.

Mrs. Addie Cummings is on the sick list.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Leslie, Sunday, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pitstick, Wednesday, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ritenour entertained at supper Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritenour, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bogard, it being the birthdays of J. H. Ritenour and E. H. Bogard, and also the wedding anniversary of E. H. Bogard and wife.

John Stittsworth of Van Wert, spent the latter part of the week with Wm. Stittsworth and family.

Mr. Ray Gravitt moved to the Doc Draper farm last week, near Jeffersonville.

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### JUNIORS WIN X. H. S. CLASS CHAMPIONSHIP

After the smoke of battle from eighty minutes of strenuous basketball had cleared away at the Rink Wednesday afternoon, it was determined that the quintet representing the Junior class had hung up a victory and the class championship of the school, in the most exciting class series that has ever been staged here.

The third-year men got to the Sophomores, early after the starter's whistle had put them into the fray and were never headed, the fracas ending with Riddell's pastimers on the long end of a 16 to 8 score. In the consolation contest which was played as a preliminary to the championship affair, the Seniors retrieved some of their lost glory, by gloriously defeating the scrappy Freshmen, the bad news summing up to the total of 12-3. The preliminary was probably the most exciting of the two set-to's.

Only two field goals were tossed through the net in the initial period of this game, Hoag and Currie registering for each team. Captain Skelly of the first-year men gave them a slight edge however, when he hung the hoop with a free shot and the half ended with the score 3-2 in favor of the Freshmen. Increased activity on the part of the Seniors early in the final session averted the disaster, however, and goals by Currie, Wead and Finley, paved the way to victory. The Freshmen did not score in the second session.

The summary:  
Seniors Freshmen  
Wead ..... If ..... Hoag  
Finley ..... rf ..... Purdon  
Currie ..... c ..... Skelly (c)  
Tullis ..... lg ..... Owens  
Snodgrass ..... rg ..... Boxwell

Substitutions: Freshmen—Irwin for Purdon. Field goals—Wead 2, Finley, Currie 3, Hoag; foul goals—Skelly. Referee, W. Vannorsdall.

The championship game, while being far from a tame affair, was a little more lop-sided, although it took the forty minutes of play to decide the winner. Captain Riddell won his own game with five fielders and it was his regularity and Taylor's eye on the basket in the first half that put the Juniors in the front of the parade. "Captain" Bill LeSourd of the Sophomores, was a basket ball whirlwind, but although he caged the pellet three times he could not stem the tide of defeat. Four points each half was the best the Sophomores could do although they tried pluckily. The second half was much faster than the initial period and the teams played each other more evenly. The first half ended with the score 0 to 4.

The summary:  
Juniors Sophomores  
Taylor ..... If ..... Moore  
Riddell (c) ..... rf ..... LeSourd (c)  
Kestle ..... c ..... Hudson  
Hyman ..... lg ..... Curlett  
Pillsbury ..... rg ..... Ganney

Substitutions: Juniors—Hopping for Taylor, Taylor for Pillsbury, Beals for Hyman; Sophomores—Davidson for Ganney. Field goals: Taylor 2, Riddell 5, Hopping, LeSourd 3. Hudson. Tiernan was not foul goal made. Referee, W. Vannorsdall.

### BASEBALL FANS BEGIN TO PLAN FOR NEW SEASON

In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of baseball. Spring, according to the calendar and the almanac and other authorities on the subject is not yet due, but warm spring-like weather is getting the jump on the matter this year by registering in large, warm quantities with a degree of sincerity that makes one believe that the old baseball season is already upon us.

Locally, the stove-league has almost wound up an abbreviated season, because of the weather conditions, and active participation in the old diamond pastime, is about to take the place of the hot-air nine that has been batting around 300 since the World Series passed into baseball history. In fact so strong is the call of this weather, that plans have already been formulated for putting another good team in the field this spring and from all indications the old Reserves will likely take up the burden of upholding local baseball honors this summer.

Manager Stiles, of the well-known and popular Reserve team, has already secured the old Reserve diamond on Cincinnati avenue for the season's conflicts and is busy formulating plans for the summer program. With the close of the war and the return of soldiers from France, it is assured by experts that baseball will not only return to the place it occupied before the war but will enjoy an ascendancy in popularity that it has never known before. Locally things look brilliant for a most successful season and it is thought that the baseball outlook in the county was never brighter.

Besides the Reserves, the Shamrocks, who have put a team in the field ever since they were mere kids, and who have grown up big enough to challenge the Reserves now, are issuing such a challenge for the opening game of the season. With two teams already promised it looks as if the baseball season will be a lively one.

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